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TO PROMOTE DIVERSIONS AMONG SOLDIERS AT THE CANTONMENTS

Raising Money to Provide Reading Rooms and Other Features

$10,000 FROM THIS COUNTY

Washington county citizens are receiving letters, from a volunteer Washington county committee, asking contributions toward the county's quota of a Western Pennsylvania fund to finance the erection of Salvation Army "huts" and a Salvation Army program at the cantonments of the draft army in America, and to assist in the Salvationists' work among the American troops across the seas. A fund of $120,00 is being raised for the whole of Western Pennsylvania, of which Pittsburg is contributing $60,000, while organizations in ten cities and towns in seven countes outside of Allegheny are asked to raise the remaining $60,000. Washington county's quota is $10,000. A distinct Washington county fund will be established with H. V. Hart, cashier of the First National Bank of Washington as treasurer.

The Western Pennsylvania plan as outlned in the appeal received by Washington county people, contemplates the establishment of Salvation Army "huts," or cabins, in the mushroom communities that are springing up on the edge of the cantonments The model type of structure adopted for these huts includes a meeting place for the Salvationist services a reading room and a refreshment stand where soft drinks and dainties will be served to combat the activities of the inevitable "bootlegger."

"These huts," says the committee in its statement, "will not seek to duplicate the facilities for moral and religious helpfulness within the camps under the auspces of the Y. M. C. A. and kindred organizations but will he primarily 'Rescue headquarters,' for the headstrong boy who seeks his relaxation in sin outside the camp; the derelict soldier and the dangerous camp follower.

Accompanying the appeal from the Washington committee is a letter from Judge Joseph Buffington of the Federal court at Pittsburg, endorsing the plan for Salvationist work outside the gates of the army camps as a supplemental agency to the Y. M. C. A. headquarters inside the camp lines. Disbursements from the Western Pennsylvania fund will be made by checks countersigned by Judge Buffington and Col. William Evans of Pittsburg, the Salvation Army's chief officer in this territory.

WANTS HIS CELLO AT CAMP SHERMAN

If any of the drafters who leave for Camp Sherman on Saturday next, wish to do Frances Bezy a favor they can do so by taking care of a cello which he wishes to have delivered to him in camp. The instrument can be secured from Manager Sweeney of the Majestic theatre. Bezy has joined an orchestra lately organized by the K. of C. and would be delighted to have his ceello sent down to him.

MAKE PLEA FOR DENTAL STUDENTS

Profession Asks Same Concession Given to the Medicals

WOULD NOT EXEMPT THEM

Local dentists, as well as those practicng in other towns throughout the country, are somewhat wrought up over the practice of the government in drafting dental students. It is contended on the part of the dentists that such a practice, if continued by the government, will result in a great decrease in dental graduates, and a consequent harm to the people of the country.

The dentists point to the fact that England, France and Canada made the mistake, which they now acknowledge, of acccpting dental and medical students for line service. As a consequence, these countries are suffering greatly for want of dentists to care for both civilian and military needs.

At the beginning of the war with Germany, it was expected that dental students would be granted the same privileges as medical students, that is, they might enlist in the Enlisted Reserve Corps and permitted to complete their course. This act does not grant exemption. It holds the men in the Reserve Corps subject to call.

During the past five years, from 1913 to 1917 inclusive, the number of dental graduates averaged 2,497 per year for the entire country; if the government continues to enlist dental students it is estimated the number will drop to 1,177 per year a number far below the actual needs of the country.

What the dentists want, and it looks as if their contention was just,

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REASONS ARE GIVEN FOR EACH EXEMPTION

The exemption list which is appearing in the Mail from day to day is the first to be published in Washington county. Its publication is one of the requirements on the part of the government, as it gives briefly why each man is exempted from the provisions of the draft. The exemptions in the Fifth district were quite heavy, but the reasons for the action of the board are set forth with every name as it is published. The third installment is herewith published.

Charles A. Hayward, Monongahela, wife and child.

Thomas Sweeney, New Eagle, wife and one child.

John T. Kelley, Charleroi, wife and one child.

John Huchke, Donora, wife and one child.

Jules Casterman, New Eagle, wife and one child.

Steve Agoes, Donora, wife and one child.

Jukes Delfosse, Charleroi, mother.

Antonio Jonlos, Charleroi, wife and two children.

Michael A. Suckal, Donora, wife and one child.

John Stando, Donora, wife and one child.

Mike Begso, Charleroi, wife and children.

William M. Work, Donora, wife and two children.

Curtis A. Morris, North Charleroi, wife and one child.

Stanley Frankourski, Donora, wife and one child.

George F. Ghering, Charleroi, wife.

Myron A. Ferree, Donora, wife and child.

Viscerso Lacco, Donora, wife.

Anthony Kles, Monongahela, wife and one child.

Frank Repto, Monongahela, wife and one child.

Walter F. Chadwick, Donora, wife and one child.

George F. Howe, North Charleroi, wife and two children.

Alexander L. Brady, Monongahela mother.

Wilfred H. Nelson, Donora, wife and one child.

Peter Rocco, Monongahela, wife and one child.

Lewis L. Booth, North Charleroi, wife and one child.

Pirtro Spadacini, Monongahela, alien, mother.

Frank Stroposky, Donora, wife and two children.

Homer Pierce, Monongahela, wife and one child.

James C. Chadwick, Monongahela, wife and three children.

Joseph Terpin, VanVoorhis, alien.

Paul Nemet, Ridge avenue, wife and four children.

George Mimi, Charleroi, mother, wife and sister.

Josepsh Biabeno, Charleroi ,wife and two children.

Mike P. Satalovick, Donora, wife and one child.

Domenico Roncacw, Donora, alien.

Stephen Scott, Monongahela, wife and two children.

Stanley Wazkiewics, Charleroi, alien, two sisters under 12.

Morris Beger, Monongahela, wife.

Joseph Clonen, Monongahela, alien.

Andrew W. Scott, N Charleroi, wife and one child

Albert Watts, Charleroi, wife and one child

Giaconic Menchini, Ivanhoe, alien.

Michael J. Ovarits, Charleroi, wife and four children.

Clyde P. Fillman, New Eagle, wife and two children.

Robert A. Rushton, Monongahela, wife and two children.

Bertram Strauser, N. Charleroi, wife and one child.

Edward Grogan, Donora, wife and three children.

John Mellotte, Monongahela, alien and father

Moxie Mattie, Ivanhoe, alien.

Alfred Bisiaux, Charleroi, wife.

Mikal Kotora, VanVoorhis, wife and three children.

Steve Botsco, VanVoorhis, wife and two children.

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MAIL TOBACCO FUND

Previously reported	$29.00
Louis Crookham	1.00
Total	$30.00

The slight let-up in contributions to the Mail Tobacco fund was only temporary. Yesterday was the first day in which no new subscriptions were reported, but later in the afternoon the donations began to come again and now thatt hey have s tarted to see them roll in they are higher than ever.

By means of this fund the Mail is enabled to put its readers in direct touch with a plan whereby the maximum amount of tobacco can be provided for the minimum sum of money. S moking tobacco, cigarettes and cigarette papers are made up into a neat package, enough for a week's supply, and these are sent to the soldier without any further expense to the donor. Each package is provided with a postcard and a request that the recipient make acknowledgment to the person whose name is on the card.

All of thes packages will be forwarded by the ed Cross to France, where they will b distributed among the boys who are now nar the fighting line. Every 25 cents given will provide a comfort kit of tobacco. May we have your contribution to this splendid undertaking.

TWO BOAT EXCURSIONS

The Steamer, City of Parkersburg will run an excursion this Saturday evening leaving Charleroi 8 p. m., Belle Vernon, 8:15, Fayette City 8:45 and Roscoe 9 p. m. On Sunday the boat will leave Brownsville under the auspices of the Eagles with an excursion party to Olympia Park, McKeesport, stopping at Newell 10:15, Roscoe 10:30, Fayette City 10:45, Belle Vernon 11, Charleroi 11:15, Monessen 12 noon, Webster 12:30 p. m., Monongahela City 1 p. m. Stewart's Fayette City orchestra will furnish the music. The round trip is 50c, children free.

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RIVAL GYPSY BANDS INDULGE IN A FREE FOR ALL FIGHT

Local Officer Had to Summon Help to Subdue Belligerants

MANY PLACED IN LOCK-UP

As a result of a Gypsy wedding at Fairhope Wednesday afternoon, the Belle Vernon lockup was filled with the combatants this morning, all of them nursing bruises and a few of them more serious injuries.

It seems that two rival camps of Gypsies have been located near Fairhope, occupying encampments on either side of the public road, but facing each other. One of the bands of nomads has been there for some time, while the other only recently arrived. However, since being in such close proximity to each other, there seems to have been a great deal of antagonism between them, with the result that fights and pitched battles have been numerous.

However, Wednesday afternoon was to be a gala day, when the war hatchet was to be buried and the rival factions smoke the pipe of peace. A wedding was scheduled as the most important event of the afternoon and that it might pass off with the usual hilarity, a quantity of fire water was ordered by the promoters of the festivity. And that was where the mistake was made.

Constable George Popp, of Washington township, within whose bailiwick the Gypsies are temporary residents, [illegible] to see that the peace was not fractured, but the wedding ceremony had been performed and the libations had begun to get in their work he saw that he was outnumbered and telephoned to Belle Vernon for reinforcements, which came in the shape of Officers Boyce and Stanley. His line of battle thus strengthened, officer Popp charged the belligerents, with the result that most of the participants in the melee were arrestd and taken to the Belle Vernon lockup, there to await a hearing. Those arrested were Steve John, cut on the head, Petro John, cut on the breast, Spera John, Metra Evans, Steve Morgan, Puto Krovoska, Frank Eley, Zeko Raditch, Joe Merestich, Joe Morgan, Joe Raditch, Mary Steve and Maria Steve.

This engagement was the fourth fight between the contending parties,

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ANOTHER PHYSICIAN TO FT. OGLETHORPE

Dr. H. L. Farquhar of Centerville, left on Wednesday for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., having been appointed a lieutenant in the Medical Officers' Reserves.

OFFICERS' WIVES WILL GO TO AUGUSTA

Mrs. E. W. Hartland, wife of Capt. Hartland, of Company A., Monongahela, Mrs. John Aiken, wife of Capt. John Aiken of Company H, Washington, Mrs. Edward Martin, of Waynesburg, wife of Major Martin, leave for Augusta, Ga., to remain in that city as long as the 111th regiment is stationed at that point. The three officers have rented a house jointly in Augusta, which will be their home until the regiment leaves for other duty.

TRANSFER MEN IN FOREIGN LEGION

Foreigners Taken from Front Line Companies put in Depot Detail

MANY TO BE DISCHARGED

The 330th United States Infantry stationed at Camp Sherman, and made up principally of men from Washington county, is known as the "foreign legion." On Wednesday it was "combed" for aliens, and 143 Austrians in the first line companies were ordered transferred to the depot companies. Most of the men transferred were from Washington county and came from McDonald, Avella, Elksworth, Donora and other mining and industrial towns in this county. Of the number transferred from Company M, made up from the vicinity of Washington, there were 29 aliens.

It is expected that Camp Sherman will receive an addition of 13,000 drafted men before Saturday evening as the 30 per cent men will be reporting during the next few days.

According to several officers to whose command the western Pennsylvania selectives have been assigned, a number of men who have been passed by the examining boards, and sent to Camp Sherman have been found to be suffering from incurable diseases. All such men will be discharged from the service and their places will have to be taken by other men sent from this county.

Continuous 1 to 11 p. m. **MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY** Children 5c Adults 10c

Carlyle Blackwell and June Elvidge in **"YOUTH"** Cast also includes Murrel Ostroche and Johnny Hines

Tomorrow, "MOUNTAIN DEW" featuring Margery Wilson and "THE FIGHTING TRAIL" with Wm. Duncan and Carol Holloway

Coyle Theatre Today

Fanny Ward in a powerful attraction, a production that will appeal to everybody, picturing the great south west entitled,

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LOANS OR TAXES—WHICH?

The government will require [illegible] 000,000,000 to meet the expenses of the first year of the war says an exchange. The money must be raised either by loans or by taxes. The manner of raising this money is to be no return whatever to the people.

If it is raised by taxes there will be return whatever to the people.

If it is provided by loans it will be repaid after a period of years, and meantime the government will be paying four per cent interest annually on the money advanced. The choice of the people would seem to be easy and obvious.

One way or the other the government must obtain it. It will either take it away from you and never give it back, or else it will gratefully accept your loans and eventually repay you, in the meantime paying you for the use of your money.

The government is disposed to be eminenty considerate in enforcing its needs. Economic reasons, conditions and expediency of course prompts this. It desires to levide the burden to take part of the funds by taxation and part by the loan plan.

If the latter plan breaks down, that it will become absolutely necessary to raise whatever funds the government may need by taxation.

If taxation is adopted as the last resort, the burden will be far more keenly felt. Don't delude yourself that you will escape your share of it. You will not be patriotism alone for you to buy a Liberty Bond. It will be the soundest of all self defensive business wisdom.

SITUATION UNSETTLED

The coal situation is in a critical stage which is rapidly merging upon a desperate one, says the Coal Age. Railroad and industrial plants, mills and factories everywhere, unless their needs are covered by contracts made prior to price fixing by the government are short of their usual supply of fuel. Many are unable to [illegible] coal from their less fortunate neighbors. Some [illegible] to a supply scarcely sufficient for a week or ten days' needs.

Mine operators have seldom if ever met with such [illegible] of fuel. Many consumers of fuel are willing and anxious to pay prices much above those established by the government. Operators mining coal with costs [illegible] slightly more than the government schedule are anxious to dispose of their fuel at a price which will not net them a loss; but these two elements are unable to get together and do business, because of the edict from Washington, which forbids transactions other than at the government basis.

The price of coke was recently fixed at $6 per ton. Allowing for the shrinkage of coal used in coke manufacture, and the labor and other expense entailed, this would represent a price for coal of approximately $3 per ton at the mine mouth Such a price, if allowed to the producers of coal, would go far toward relieving the present shortage of bituminous.

Another element is the fact that if the wages of the miners are to be raised, the selling price of cal must likewise be advanced.

TAKE EXTRA CLOTHING

Local draftees would do well to take heed of the warning sent from the various military cantonments with reference to the clothing recruits should take with them. Cold weather is approaching and as the government is apparently not yet ready to make an issue of clothing it is up to the men to make themselves as comfortable as possible. The days are said to be fine, generally speaking, but the nights have a habit of getting intensely cold, and additional heavy clothing comes in very handy. Even the camps in the south become quite cool after sundown, and all of the men writing from these posts say that an extra blanket is a luxury not to be despised. While the government is no doubt making strenuous efforts to make an issue of uniforms and clothing the delay in this respect detracts considerable from the real spirit of the training now under way

USE LESS SUGAR

The boarding-house landlady who flatly decared that she 'woudn't eat corn bread to please anybody' is probably representative of a considerable element of the American public even outside the ranks of pull-the-other-way pacifists and pro-Germans, but we can feel assured that the great body of the American people is not so indifferent and is willing to take thought of the food needs of our European allies. Confident that there is such a majority of patriots willing to submit to sacrifice for the desired end the Export Review speaks optimstically of the coming results of a voluntary food pledge among our peole, a pledge of "the wheatless meal, the meatless meal and the clean plate.

But what Mr. Hoover wants just now is restraint upon the "sweet tooth." We have just enough sugar to maintain our normal consumption until January when the West Indian crop becomes available, but the French government has asked for an early shipment of 100,000 tons and if we fail to send it the French people will be entirely without sugar for two months. Our allies are now using one ounce of sugar a day per capita while we are using four ounces. Mr. Hoover asks Americans to reduce their purchases and consumption one-third so that the French may be supplied. This is no hard task for it is our habit to use sugar wastefully, far beyond our real needs, and the desired response ought to be forthcoming without a murmur in any truly American family. It is little enough for our cause as well as their own. Are you patriot enough to cut down your over-abundant supply of sugar one-third?

Charleroi will be represented in the new Liberty Loan. It may take us a little while to get started, but already some very nice sales have been made.

As between taking and not returning, and borrowing and paying back with interest, the Liberty Loan looks like the one best bet in replenishing the coffers of the government.

Coal men say they cannot pay additional wages unless they receive additional prices. And that looks like a sensible view.

Germany's power is shaken, but not broken, says a government report. Which means that the Kaiser and his legions must be shaken up some more.

A report comes from Camp Meade that the men in training there will be in France inside of four months. If the raw troops of the National Army can be whipped into shape in so short a time, the end of the war is not as far off as it sometimes seems.

Government price fixing is beginning to bear fruit. On the assurance that the price of flour will be reduced by official order to $11 a barrel, New York bakers have agreed to sell a first-quality loaf of fourteen ounces for eight cents.

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Notice is herbey given that a special meeting of the Aerie will be held in the Lodge Rooms at Club house of the Aerie in Charleroi, Pennsylvania, at 7:30 p. m. Friday, October 5. 1917 for the purpose of passing upon a resolution authorizing the officers to execute a bond and mortgage upon the property of the Aerie to secure a loan of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars in three years at Six (6) per cent.

M. T. Crowley,
Worthy President.

W. H. Zellars, Jr.,
Secretary. 94-tf

Renewal of Charter

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockhalders of Bank of Charleroi, chartered under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at the Office of Place of business of said Bank of Charleroi, corner of Fallowfield Avenue and Fifth Street in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, on the 8th day of November A. D., 1917, from 2 o'colck p. m. to 3 o'colck p. m. to vote for or against the proposition to renew and extend the charter, corporate rights and franchises of said Bank of Charleroi in accordance with and under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 10th, 1889, P. L. 185, for the period of twenty years from the 17th day of January, 1918, the date upon which said Bank's present charter, corporate rights and franchises expire.

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William I. Berryman,
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Pietrodoni Guiseppe, Monongahela alien.

Peter J. Murray, Donora, wife and one child.

Salvatore Panepinto, Charleroi, wife, two children and father.

Elmer H. Gamble, Charleroi, wife and three children.

Stanley A. Guskey, Monongahela, mother.

Mike Jacko, Donora, wife and one child.

J. Corwin Barclay, Monongahela, wife and one child.

George A. Weyels, Monongahela, wife and one child.

Pedro Mollo, Donora, alien, father and mother.

Raleigh M. Carter, Donora, wife and three children.

Luigi Gandic, Donora, wife and two children.

Charles E. Schultz, Monongahela, wife one child, father and mother.

Max Maraisky, Donora, wife and four children.

Valentine Salomoun, Charleroi, wife and one child.

Emil J. Gearing, Monongahela, father.

Orelio Toclare, Charleroi, alien.

Wasye Turinski, Donora, alien.

Edward E. Gilmore, Charleroi, wife and two children.

Harry S. Porterfield, Monongahela, wife and one child.

Thomas G. Harris, Donora, wife and two children.

Carmine Difilippo, Donora, alien.

Harry Dominske, Donora, wife and child.

Jan Tavernicky, Charleroi, wife and three children.

Harry A. Stahlman, Charleroi, wife and child.

Robert Turnbull, Charleroi, wife and two children.

William Ford, New Eagle, wife and two children.

John Macik, Donora, wife, three children and mother.

Summer E ... Bosworth, Charleroi, wife and one child.

John Vogini, Monongahela, wife and two children.

Emile Bisiaux, Charleroi, wife and three children.

John Mullin, Charleroi, wife and three children.

Joseph H. Theis, Charleroi, wife and three children.

Joseph Mazanetz, Charleroi, wife and two children.

Joseph Mercer, New Eagle, wife and two children.

Thomas E. Andrson, Charleroi, wife and one child.

Edgar W. Walker, Charleroi, wife and child.

Francis R. Campbell, Monongahela, wife and child.

George Orazewski, Donora, wife and one child.

Charles Budres, Ivanhoe, wife and two children.

Martin Danek, Monongahela, wife and child.

MAKE PLEA

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that dental students be treated the same as medical students, enrolled in the Enlisted Reserve Corps, and permitted to complete ethier course. In this way they would always be available for service if the government should need them, but this plan would give them the advantage of continuing their studies until such time as their services were absolutely required.

DIVORCE NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Henry M. Brantano vs. Eva M. Brantano, subpoena sur libel for divorce. No. 160 Augus Term, 1917.

Notice To Respondent.

To Eva M. Brantano, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Arder of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of November nextt, being the fifth day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant, Harry M. Brantano, your husband and show cause, if any you have why the said Harry M Brantano should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into withyou agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
October 3rd, 1917
Guy Moffitt, Atty.

O-4-11-18-25

The Ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a Rummage sale in the Duvall store room on Fifth street Saturday and Monday afternoons and evenings. 94-t2

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of John H. Nelson, deceased.

In the Orphan's Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania, No. 51, August Term, A. A.

The undersigned having been appointed auditor in the above entitled estate to pass upon claims and make distribution of the balance in the hands of Elizabeth Nelson, administratrix, to, and among those legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the office of David M. McCloskey in the First National Bank Building, Charleroi, Pennsylvania, at which time and place, all persons interested may attend.

J. Olan Yarnall,
Auditor.
94-t1

PERSONALS

The Frances Willard Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school will hold its fortnightly meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. L. J. Mitchell, 3 10 Meadow avenue, with Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Ina Kline as hostesses

Mrs. Charles Walgreen and Mrs. Samuel Claybaugh were in Pittsburg Wednesday and witnessed the production of "The Bird of Paradise" at the Alvin theatre.

Mrs. E Mathews of Cecil is visiting with her sister Mrs. F. J. Bethem.

A farewell reception was held in honor of William Smallbach at his home on Washington avenue Wednesday evening. Decorations were in red, white and blue and lanterns About fifty guests were present. Lunch was served. Out of town guests were from Monongahela, Donora and Gilmore, Md

When the Germans, Austrians and Turks are ready to withdraw unconditionally from conquered territories and repair the ravages wrought the discussion of terms will begin but until then "peace" talk can be little more than a waste of wind.

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TO LET—Furnished rooms. Apply 18 Mail office. 93-tf

RIVAL GYPSY BANDS

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which seems to have been a general engagemenet, with every able bodied man and woman in the rival camps taking part.

Many rumors and stories were floating about as to the cause of the trouble, but it seems to have been the outcome of a long-standing feud between thesee rival camps, over the "division of territory" in this locality. It is likely the authorities will order both bands to move to some other location as they are considered a menace to the peace and good order of the neighborhood.

OVER ONE THOUSAND

The West Penn Railways Company has received more than *one thousand* subscriptions for its 6% Cumulative preferred stock—in amounts ranging from one to twenty shares. The number of subscriptions has shown a steady increase during the past two weeks, which has been highly gratifying to the management.

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West Penn Railways Company

221 Fourth Avenue Pittsburgh, Penna.

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Divorce Notice

In the court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Thomas Beccari vs. Ollie B. Beccari subpoena sur libel for divorce. No.426 May Term, 1917

Notice To Respondent

To Ollie B. Beccari, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington, to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of November next, being the fifth day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant, Thomas Beccari, your husband and show cause if any you have, why the said Thomas Beccari should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly, in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
September 11, 1917
David M. McCloskey, Atty.
S-13-20-27-O-4

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DIVORCE NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Catherine Blasick Edwards, vs. Jack Edwards subpoena sur libel for divorce. No. 243 May Term 1917.

Notice to Respondent

To Jack Edwards respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington, to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of November next, being the fifth day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant, Catherine Blasick Edwards your wife and show cause if any you have, why the said Catherine Blasick Edwards should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
October 3, 1917.
D. M. McCloskey, Atty.
O-4-11-18-25

DIVORCE NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Emma Grace Milhollan vs. Joseph Milhollan subpoena sur libel for divorce. No. 197 August Term 1917.

Notice to Respondent

To Joseph Milhollan respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of November next, being the fifth day of the month, to answer the petition of libel hereto preferred by the libellant Emma Grace Milhollan your wife and show cause if any you have, why the said Emma Grace Milhollan should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

Frank B. Wickerham
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
October 2nd, 1917
Guy Moffitt, Atty.
O-4-11-18-25

Executor's Notice.

Estate of John Conrad, late of the Borough of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Robert S. Coyle, Executor
Charleroi, Pa.
David M. McCloskey, Atty.
O-4-11-18-25-N-1-8

REV. HARTUNG ELECTED AN ASSISTANT TREASURER

Rev. C. A. Hartung, pastor of the Methodist church is attending Conference now in session in Pittsburg. On Wednesday the district superintendnts were named, Dr. J. W. Risk being reappointed for the Washington district of which Charleroi is a part. The business session of the conference was held Wednesday afternoon at which time officers were elected for the ensuing year. Among these officers is Rev. C. A. Hartung of Charleroi who was chosen as one of the assistant treasurers.

DEROSSE'S FUNERAL HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral Chester DeRosse, who died at the Memorial hospital, Monongahela, Monday afternoon, was buried this morning from the undertaking rooms of Lawrence B. Frye Fallowfield avenue, at 10 o'clock. Interment took place in Charleroi cemetery.

After Mr. Frye had an opportunity to talk with Mr. DeRosse yesterday afternoon it wassoon arranged that the father would take full charge of the funeral, pay all expenses and see that the boy was decently buried.

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Ground Squirrels.

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Lines to Be Remembered.

The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart.—Menicus.

The "denarius," translated "penny," in each of the four gospels was the principal silver coin of the Roman commonwealth. From the parable of the laborers in the vineyard it would seem that a denarius was the ordinary pay for a day's labor (Math. 20:2-13).

It Won't Do.

The Great One—I'm afraid your accusation is just. Many actors are intolerably conceited. Indeed, it is amazing to think how many imagine they can play Hamlet as well as I can.

Optimistic Thought.

The man who speaks with prudence do not think him to be tedious, though he speaks much and long.

Hot Milk as a Stimulant.

If one is fatigued, a tumbler of hot milk, as hot as it can be sipped, is a good restorative.

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